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1. PER MCNAMARA- STEWART TELCON 3/27, MISSION WILL TAKE NO ACTION
ON REF A UNLESS OTHERWISE INSTRUCTED.

2. LOCAL UK REP SAYS HMG HAS REACHED AGREEMENT WITH SAG BUT WILL
DELAY SIGNATURE AT BRUSSELS' REQUEST TO ENCOURAGE FAVORABLE SET-
TLEMENT WITH EC (6). EC EXPECTS TO MEET SOUTH AFRICANS IN MAY FOR
FIRST TIME SINCE 1971; LOCAL COMMISSION REP SEES AUTOMOTIVE SEC-
TOR AS PRINCIPAL PROBLEM AREA. CANADIANS MADE NO PROGRESS IN RE-
DUCING SUBSTANTIAL GAP DURING NOVEMBER MEETING AND SUGGESTED TO
SOUTH AFRICANS THAT COMPENSATORY WITHDRAWALS MAY BE ONLY
SOLUTION;
CANADIAN MISSION UNAWARE OF ANY PLANS FOR ANOTHER MEETING. RIMESTAD

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